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Daily Traffic Volume Estimates
Including Vehicle Classification Estimates
where available

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Town of Clifton Forge

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The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) conducts a program where traffic count data are gathered from sensors in or along streets and highways and other sources. From these data, estimates of the average number of vehicles that traveled each segment of road are calculated. VDOT periodically publishes booklets listing these estimates.

One of these booklets, titled "Average Daily Traffic Volumes with Vehicle Classification Data, on Interstate, Arterial and Primary Routes" includes a list of each Interstate and Primary highway segment with the estimated Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT) for that segment. AADT is the total annual traffic estimate divided by the number of days in the year. This booklet also includes information such as estimates of the percentage of the AADT made up by 6 different vehicle types, ranging from cars to double trailer trucks; estimated Annual Average Weekday Traffic (AAWDT), which is the number of vehicles estimated to have traveled the segment of highway during a 24 hour weekday averaged over the year; as well as Peak Hour and Peak Direction factors used by planners to formulate design criteria.

In addition to the Primary and Interstate publication, one hundred books are published periodically, one for each of 100 areas across the state defined by VDOT for record-keeping purposes. These books include traffic volume estimates for roads within the county, cities, and towns within the area. These books are titled "Daily Traffic Volumes Including Vehicle Classification Estimates, where available; Jurisdiction Report numbers 00 through 99".

Also available are a number of reports summarizing the average Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) in selected jurisdictions and other categories of highways. There are many different ways to present traffic volume summary information. Because the user determines the value of each presentation, the reports have been redesigned based on user requests and feedback. The people at VDOT Mobility Management's Traffic Monitoring Section who produce these books welcome requests for other helpful ways of presenting the summary information.

A compact disc (CD) is available that includes files in the Adobe® Portable Document Format (PDF) that can be displayed, searched, and printed using common desktop computer equipment. The CD includes the publications described above as well as a number of other reports, including specialized VMT summaries and smaller AADT reports for each city and town separately.

Publication Notes

Parallel Roads

For road inventory and management purposes, some roadways are counted separately by direction and have separately published traffic estimates for each direction of travel. Examples of such roadways are the interstate system and routes with separated facilities and (usually) one-way traffic facilities in urban areas. In these publications, they are referred to as parallel roads. As a convenience for the users of the publication, the listing for segments of roads with parallel segments are published with both the traffic estimates for their own direction of travel (e.g. I-95 Northbound) as well as the estimate of the total of all traffic on the same route including parallel roadways (all directions of I-95). The publication will have a “Combined Traffic Estimates for Parallel Roadways on this Route” or “Combined Traffic” identifiers for the combined direction of travel estimates.

Roadways such as I-395 with a North segment, a South segment and a separate Reversible lane segment will have the estimate for more than two parallel roadways included in the entire combined traffic estimate.

Some routes have very complicated paths through cities and towns. These parallel paths may be too complex to allow a relationship between nearby sections of the opposite direction on the same route. In this case, to indicate that the traffic estimates for such a road segment may not include all directions of traffic on that route, the line that would list the combined values will indicate “NA” for not available.

VDOT’s traffic monitoring program includes more than 100,000 segments of roads and highways ranging from several mile sections of Interstate highways to very short sections of city streets. Due to problems experienced obtaining some traffic count data, and the level of quality necessary to maintain confidence in the data, no estimate is currently available for some segments of roadway. These segments are included in the publications indicating “NA” for not available. It is the intention of the VDOT’s Mobility Management Traffic Monitoring group to obtain the data necessary and to report traffic volume estimates on all road segments included in these publications.

Many of the road segments in this program are local secondary roads. The amount and detail of data collected on these roads are not as great as the data collected on higher volume roads. The vehicle classification, average weekday traffic volumes, and the theoretical design hour traffic volumes are not calculated for these roads. The publications indicate “NA” for the information that is not available.

This publication is based on a traffic monitoring program initiated in 1997. Because the data collection techniques and statistical evaluation processes are different than those used in previous years, comparison with previous publications may be misleading.

Glossary of Terms:

Route: The Route Number assigned to this segment of roadway with the master inventory route number if this is an overlapping route, with official street or highway name if available.

Length: Length of the traffic segment in miles.

AADT: Annual Average Daily Traffic. The estimate of typical daily traffic on a road segment for all days of the week, Sunday through Saturday, over the period of one year.

QA: Quality of AADT:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- G Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data with Growth Element
- H Historical Estimate
- M Manual Uncounted Estimate
- N AADT of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided By External Source
- R Raw Traffic Count, Unfactored

4Tire: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of motorcycles, passenger cars, vans and pickup trucks.

Bus: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of busses.

2Axle Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of 2 axle single unit trucks (not including pickups and vans).

3+Axle Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of single unit trucks with three or more axles.

1Trail Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of units with a single trailer.

2Trail Truck: Percentage of the traffic volume made up of units with more than one trailer.

QC: Quality of Classification Data:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- C Short Term Classified Traffic Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- H Historical Estimate
- M Mass Collective Average
- N Classification Estimates of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link

Peak Hour: The estimate of the traffic volume for the 30th highest traffic volume occurring in a one-year period divided by the AADT for the same one-year period.

QK: Quality of the Peak Hour estimate:

- A Factor based on 30th Highest Hour Observed During 12 Months of Continuous Traffic Data
- B Factor based on 30th Highest Hour Observed During Less than 12 Months of Continuous Traffic Data
- F Factor based on Highest Hour Collected at in a 48 Hour Weekday Period
- M Factor based on Manual Estimate of 30th Highest Hour
- N Peak Hour Factor of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided by External Source

Dir Factor: The estimate of the portion of the traffic volume traveling in the peak direction during the Peak Hour..

AAWDT: Average Annual Weekday Traffic. The estimate of typical traffic over the period of one year for the days between Monday through Thursday inclusive.

QW: Quality of AAWDT:

- A Average of Complete Continuous Count Data
- B Average of Selected Continuous Count Data
- F Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data
- G Factored Short Term Traffic Count Data with Growth Element
- M Manual Uncounted Estimate
- N AAWDT of Similar Neighboring Traffic Link
- O Provided by External Source

Year: Year for which the published values are appropriate. If the Quality of AADT (QA) is "R", the year is the year that the raw traffic count was collected, and if available,

Route Shield Legend

















Route Systems

North 	Interstate Route	Traffic volume data for Interstate Routes and some other routes are reported separately by direction, as well as combined.
	US Route	
	Virginia State Route	
	Secondary Route	

Special Routes

Bus 	Bus - Business Route
	Bypas - Bypass Route
	Truck - Truck Route
ALT 	ALT - Alternate Route
	Wve - Wye Route connector
	P - Parallel Route; Southbound or Westbound direction lanes of a numbered route where they are on a different road facility than the other direction.
	The VDOT Maintenance Jurisdiction number is displayed below the Secondary Route Number if the Maintenance Jurisdiction is different than the jurisdiction in the title of the report.

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						2Axle	3+Axle	1Trail	2Trail										
Town of Clifton Forge																			
	1.55	Combined Traffic: 14000	F	From:	WCL Clifton Forge					F	0.076	F		14000	F				
				See I-64 for directional traffic volume estimates for this segment.															
To:				ECL Clifton Forge															
	Ridgeway Street	0.27	8700	F	96%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%	F	0.088	F	0.646	8800	F	2002		
	Ridgeway Street	0.61	9600	F	From:	6Th St					C	0.093	F	0.622	9700	F	2002		
To:					Roxbury St														
	Ridgeway Street	0.14	5900	F	96%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%	F	0.101	F	0.635	6000	F	2002		
		Combined Traffic:	10000	F	97%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	F	0.101	F	0.635	11000	F			
	Ridgeway Street	0.07	5900	N	From:	Commercial Ave					N	0.101	N	0.635	6000	N	2002		
To:					Main St														
	Main Street	0.26	7100	F	97%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	C	0.091	F	0.512	7200	F	2002		
	Main Street	0.06	7100	F	From:	B St					F	0.079	F	0.501	7200	F	2002		
To:					US 220 Bus														
		0.87	6000	F	98%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	C	0.099	F	0.535	6100	F	2002		
					To:	ECL Clifton Forge													
	Roxbury Street	0.05	6900	F	From:	Ridgeway St					F	0.09	F	0.956	7000	F	2002		
To:					Kesswick St														
	Kesswick Street	0.14	4500	F	97%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	C	0.085	F		4500	F	2002		
		Combined Traffic:	10000	F	97%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	F	NA		11000	F				
	Main Street	0.07	4600	F	From:	Main St					F	0.085	F		4600	F	2002		
					Kesswick St														
To:					Ridgeway Street														
		Combined Traffic:	11000	N	97%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	N	0.101	N	0.635	11000	N			
	1.55	7100	F	From:	WCL Clifton Forge					F	0.076	F		6700	F	2002			
To:				ECL Clifton Forge															
	1.55	7300	F	From:	WCL Clifton Forge					F	0.071	F		6900	F	2002			
To:				ECL Clifton Forge															
	Main Street	0.07	4600	F	From:	RIDGEWAY ST					F	0.085	F		4600	F	2002		
To:					KESSWICK ST														
	Main St	0.05	340	F	From:	US 60 Par, Keswick St					F	0.11	F		360	F	2002		
To:					McCormick Blvd														
	McCormick Blvd	0.07	360	F	From:	Main St					F	0.108	F		380	F	2002		
To:					SR 188 Par, Church St														

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						2Axle	3+Axle	1Trail	2Trail							
Town of Clifton Forge																
188 McCormick Blvd	0.23	920	F	From:	SR 188 Par. Church St					C	0.097	F	0.598	970	F	2002
				To:	Lafayette St											
188 Lafayette St	0.07	310	F	From:	McCormick Blvd					F	0.1	F	0.557	320	F	2002
				To:	Rose Ave											
188 Rose Ave	0.22	680	F	From:	Lafayette St					C	0.106	F	0.513	720	F	2002
				To:	Tremont St											
188 Tremont St	0.03	680	F	From:	Rose Ave					C	0.106	F	0.513	720	F	2002
				To:	Sioux Ave											
188 Sioux Ave	0.17	680	F	From:	Tremont St					C	0.106	F	0.513	720	F	2002
				To:	105-3351, I-64, Sioux Ave											
188 Bus 60 Ridgeway Street	0.07	5900	N	From:	MAIN ST					N	0.101	N	0.635	6000	N	2002
				Combined Traffic:	11000	N	97%	0%	1%							
188 Church Street	0.05	2200	F	To:	US 60 BUS COMMERCIAL AV					F	0.096	F	0.650	2300	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	0	F	97%	0%	1%							
188 Commercial Ave	0.06	3900	F	From:	US 60 Bus McCormick Blvd					F	0.094	F	0.705	4100	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	0	F	97%	0%	1%							
188	0.07	2000	F	To:	Church Street					C	0.119	F	0.779	2000	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	0	F	97%	0%	1%							
220 64	1.55	14000	F	From:	SR 188					F	0.076	N		14000	F	
				Combined Traffic:	14000	F	72%	1%	2%							
Bus 220	0.70	2700	F	To:	ECL Clifton Forge					C	0.088	F	0.562	2700	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	2700	F	96%	0%	2%							
Bus 220 Bus 60 Main Street	0.06	7100	F	From:	SCL Clifton Forge					F	0.079	F	0.501	7200	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	7100	F	97%	0%	1%							
Bus 220 Bus 60 Main Street	0.26	7100	F	To:	US 60 Bus					C	0.091	F	0.512	7200	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	7100	F	97%	0%	1%							
Bus 220 Bus 60 Main Street	0.07	4600	F	From:	B ST					F	0.085	F		4600	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	11000	N	97%	0%	1%							
Bus 220 Bus 60 Kesswick Street	0.14	4500	F	To:	RIDGEWAY ST					C	0.085	F		4500	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	10000	F	97%	0%	1%							
Bus 220 Bus 60 Roxbury Street	0.05	6900	F	From:	KESWICK ST					F	0.09	F	0.956	7000	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	0	F	97%	0%	1%							
Bus 220 Bus 60 Ridgeway Street	0.61	9600	F	To:	MAIN ST					C	0.093	F	0.622	9700	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	9600	F	96%	0%	1%							
Bus 220 Bus 60 Ridgeway Street	0.27	8700	F	From:	ROXBURY ST					F	0.088	F	0.646	8800	F	2002
				Combined Traffic:	8700	F	96%	0%	1%							

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Town of Clifton Forge																
(3550) Church Street	0.12	NA		From:	ISR 188-P Commercial Street						NA			NA		
				To:	105-3553 Jefferson Ave											
(3550) Church Street	0.33	1600	F	From:	Jefferson St					C	0.093	F	0.679	1600	F	2002
				To:	A Street											
(3551) Sioux Ave	0.25	560	F	From:	SR 188; I-64					C	0.109	F	0.547	570	F	2002
				To:	NCL Clifton Forge; 03-606											
(3553) Jefferson Ave	0.06	2300	F	From:	US 60 Main St					F	0.095	F	0.6	2300	F	2002
				To:	Church Street											
(3553) Jefferson Avenue	0.21	2000	F	From:	Church St					C	0.095	F	0.631	2100	F	2002
				To:	Lowell St											
(3553) Jefferson Avenue	0.15	2000	F	From:	1% 0% 0% 0%					C	0.094	F	0.539	2000	F	2002
				To:	Kensington Ave											
(3553) Jefferson Avenue	0.31	1500	F	From:	0% 0% 0% 0%					C	0.097	F	0.591	1500	F	2002
				To:	Benton St											
(3553) Jefferson Avenue	0.09	1200	F	From:	0% 0% 0% 0%					F	0.094	F	0.572	1200	F	2002
				To:	Ingalls St											
(3555) Ingalls St	1.15	1000	F	From:	Main Street					C	0.098	F	0.55	1000	F	2002
				To:	Jefferson Ave											
"A" Street		1600	F	From:	Church St						0.101	F	0.668	1600	F	2002
				To:	US 60											
"A" Street		3000	F	From:	NCSX RR						0.084	F	0.556	3000	F	2002
				To:	US 60 Main Street											
Alleghany St.		200	F	From:	3rd St.						0.098	F	0.632	200	F	2002
				To:	2nd St.											
Chestnut St.		270	F	From:	Oak Hill Avenue						0.118	F	0.54	270	F	2002
				To:	ECL Clifton Forge											
Commercial Avenue		370	F	From:	Revere St.						0.072	F	0.509	370	F	2002
				To:	I-64											
Jefferson Ave		580	F	From:	Ingalls St						0.110	F	0.598	580	F	2002
				To:	Jackson Street											
Oak Hill Avenue		1200	F	From:	US 60						0.102	F	0.64	1200	F	2002
				To:	Chestnut Street											
Rose Ave		1400	F	From:	Church St						0.087	F		1400	F	2002
				To:	Lafayette St											